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July 20, 1880-1f

THE MAID OF ATHENS.

Maid of Athens, we must part!
Your will is strong, your temper's tart,
And, when I go and when I come,
Your tongue swings like a pendulum.
Hear my prayer before I go,
Remember 'tis my last request,
And, if you can for an hour or so,
Keep it still and let me rest.

By those banged locks all unconfined,
Blown all about by every wind;
By that curved nose all out of joint,
Like an interrogation point,
Check that tongue's eternal flow,
Oh heed, I beg, this one behest,
And, if you can for an hour or so,
Please keep it still and let me rest.

By those lips that never close;
By those crossed eyes which daunt their foes;
By my bald head, so prompt to tell
What words can never speak so well;
Your tongue is darting to and fro:
You pour forth words like one possessed;
But if you can for an hour or so,
Please keep it still and let me rest.

Maid of Athens, I am gone!
I'll be at peace when I'm alone.
Yet though I fly to Istambol,
Your strident tone shall fright my soul.
Can I cease to hear thee! No!
That tongue is heard from east to west;
But if you can for an hour or so,
Oh, keep it still and let me rest.

LINES ON A SKELETON.

Behold this ruin! 'Twas a skull
Once of ethereal spirit full!
This narrow cell was life's retreat;
This space was thought's mysterious seat;
What beauteous pictures filled this spot!
What dreams of pleasure long forgot!
Nor love, nor joy, nor hope, nor fear,
Has left one trace of record here.

Beneath this mouldering canopy
Once shone the bright and busy eye;
But start not at the dismal void!
If social love that eye employed,
If with no lawless fire it gleamed,
But through the dew of kindness beamed,
That eye shall be forever bright
When stars and suns have lost their light.

Here in this silent cavern hung
The ready, swift, and tuneful tongue.
If falsehood's honey it disdained,
And where it could not praise, was chained;
If bold in virtue's cause it spoke,
Yet gentle concord never broke,
That tuneful tongue shall plead for thee,
When death unveils eternity.

Say, did these fingers delve the mine,
Or with its envied rubies shine?
To hew the rock or wear the gem
Can nothing now avail to them,
But if the page of truth they sought,
Or comfort to the mourner brought,
These hands a richer meed shall claim
Than all that waits on wealth or fame.

Avails it whether bare or shod
These feet the path of duty trod?
If from the bowers of joy they fled
To soothe affection's humble bed—
If grandeur's guilty bribe they spurned,
And home to virtue's lap returned,
These feet with angel's wings shall vie,
And tread the palace of the sky.

The Spring Poet's Fate.

Softly he entered the sanctum,
Gently he closed the door,
And with a stealthy, gliding step,
He moved across the floor.
The editor, weary, hard and gray,
Looked up as he entered in,
While the words that his lips were ope'd to say,
Were stopped by a ghastly grin
That spread o'er his face as the stranger said—
"Spring has come, and old winter is dead
I have a poem on spri—" but hush!
Something went out the door with a rush.
And lit in the street with a terrible thud,
While the editor's hands were reeking with blood,
And as he cleansed them thus did he sing:
"That's the way I serve poets in spring."

THE AMERICAN GIRL'S BANG.

In Mrs. Burnett's "A Fair Barbarian," the heroine, a bright girl from Nevada, is set down for a time in the little English village of "Slowbridge," where she shocks the dowagers with her elegant dresses and her diamonds, and wins the hearts of the young men. Lucia, a quiet little English girl, who has won her friendship, attempts some advice one day, as follows: (We quote from advance sheets of the March number of Scribner.)

There is something—I think I would do if—if I were in your place, Lucia stammered. A very little thing indeed.

Lucia lost her breath, caught it again, and proceeded cautiously, and with blushes at her own daring.

If I were in your place, she said, I think that perhaps—only perhaps, you know—I would not wear—my hair—quite so low down—over my forehead.

Octavia sprang from her seat, and ran to the pier glass over the mantel. She glanced at the reflection of her own startled, pretty face, and then, putting her hand up to the soft blonde "bang" which met her brows, turned to Lucia.

Isn't it becoming? she asked, breathlessly.

Oh, yes! Lucia answered. Very. Octavia started.

"Then why wouldn't you wear it? she cried. "What do you mean?

Lucia felt her position truly a delicate one. She locked her hands, and braced herself; but she blushed vividly.

It may sound rather silly when I tell you why, Octavia, she said; but I really do think it is a sort of reason. You know, in those absurd pictures of actresses, bangs always seem to be the principal feature. I saw some in the shop windows, when I went to Harriford with grandmamma. And they were such dreadful women—some of them—and had so very few clothes on, that I can't help thinking I shouldn't like to look like them, and—

Does it make me look like them?

Oh, very little! answered Lucia; very little indeed, of course, but—

But it's the same thing, after all, put in Octavia. That's what you mean.

It is so very little, faltered Lucia, that—that perhaps it isn't a reason.

Octavia looked at herself in the glass again.

It isn't a very good reason, she remarked, but I suppose it will do.

She paused and looked Lucia in the face.

I don't think that's a little thing, she said. To be told you look like an opera bouffe actress.

I did not mean to say so, cried Lucia, filled with the most poignant distress. I beg your pardon, indeed—I—oh dear! I was afraid you wouldn't like it. I felt that it was taking a great liberty.

I don't like it," answered Octavia; "but that can't be helped. I didn't exactly suppose I should. But I wasn't going to say anything about your hair when I began, glancing at poor Lucia's coiffure, though I suppose I might.

You might say a thousand things about it! cried Lucia, piteously. I know that mine is not only in bad taste, but it is ugly and unbecoming.

Yes, said Octavia, cruelly, it is.

And yours is neither the one nor the other, protested Lucia. You know I told you it was pretty, Octavia.

Octavia walked over to the table, upon which stood Miss Belinda's work basket, and took therefrom a small pair of scissors, returning to the mantel glass with them.

How short shall I cut it? she demanded.

Oh! exclaimed Lucia, don't—don't!

For an answer, Octavia raised the scissors, and gave a snip. It was a savage snip, and half the length and width of her love locks fell on the mantle; then she gave another snip, and the other half fell.

Lucia scarcely dared to breathe.

For a moment, Octavia stood gazing at herself, with pale face and dilated eyes. Then suddenly the folly of the deed she had done seemed to reveal itself to her.

Oh! she cried out. Oh, how diabolical it looks!

She turned upon Lucia.

Why did you make me do it? she exclaimed. It's all your fault—every bit of it! and flinging the scissors to the other end of the room, she threw herself into a chair and burst into tears.

Lucia's anguish of mind was almost more than she could bear. For at least three minutes, she felt herself a criminal of the deepest dye; after the three minutes had elapsed, however, she began to reason, and called to mind the fact that she was falling as usual under her crisis.

This is being a coward again, she said to herself. It is worse than to have said nothing. It is true that she will look more refined, now one can see a little of her forehead, and it is cowardly to be afraid to stand firm when I really think so—I—yes, I will say something to her.

Octavia, she began, aloud, I am sure you are making a mistake again. This as decidedly as possible, which was not very decidedly. You—you look very much—nicer.

I look ghastly! said Octavia, who began to feel rather absurd.

You do not. Your forehead—you have the prettiest forehead I ever saw, Octavia, said Lucia, eagerly, and your eyebrows are perfect. I—wish you would look at yourself again.

Rather to her surprise, Octavia began to laugh under cover of her handkerchief; reaction had set in, and, though the laugh was a trifle hysterical, it was still a laugh. Next she gave her eyes a final little dab, and rose to go to the glass again. She looked at herself, touched up the short waving fringle left on her forehead, and turned to Lucia with a resigned expression.

Do you think that any one who was used to seeing it the other way would—would think I looked horrid? she inquired, anxiously.

They would think you prettier—a great deal, Lucia answered, earnestly. Don't you know, Octavia, that nothing could be really unbecoming to you? You have that kind of face.

For a few seconds, Octavia seemed to lose herself in thought of a speculative nature.

Jack always said so, she remarked, at length.

Jack? repeated Lucia, timidly.

Octavia roused herself and smiled with candid sweetness.

He is some one I knew in Nevada, she explained. He worked in father's mine once.

You must have known him very well, suggested Lucia, somewhat awed.

I did, she replied, calmly. Very well.

She tucked away her pocket handkerchief in the jaunty pocket at the back of her basque, and returned to her chair. Then she turned again to Lucia.

Well, she said, I think you have found out that you were mistaken, haven't you, dear? Suppose you tell me of something else.

Lucia colored.

No, she answered, that is enough for to-day.

WEAVERS STORE.

Gardening has been fairly commenced since the ground has become in a condition to stir.

The ponds creeks and branches are at all times swarming with fishermen.

The few tobacco plants that have made their appearance have a very thrifty appearance.

Wheat is looking very badly. Much of it was killed during the late freeze. It is hoped that it may yet revive and make a good yield.

Mr. Pace has threshed all the clover seed in this section and the most of them have been sown.

Two dances last week, both of which were highly enjoyable and largely attended.

Miss Allsop, from New Providence Town, commenced a school at Forest Rose Academy near this place on Monday the 7th ult. She has a pretty full attendance.

If I should over misconstrue the remarks of another correspondent, directed to me and answer accordingly, I am always ready to apologize for same provided that correspondent explains satisfactorily what he or she was driving at. SHORTFELLOW.

ERA.

This little place is doing a thriving business.

The health of this community is pretty good, except measles, which have been prevalent for the past month.

Farmers are preparing for the coming crop with greater energy than usual.

We hear something said occasionally about a Republican paper being published in Hopkinsville, based upon the merits of its political career, it being the only one in Southern Ky. We will take the South Kentuckian in ours. So will the most of North Christian, we think.

H. B. Rogers is the one happy man of North Christian, who represents the Hopkinsville public Schools with two of his sons, Preston and Sherman, both bright students and will one day be brilliant lights we hope.

Prof. James Clark has opened his school at Hamby's school house, and will prosper we hope in this pleasant community. As he is a cripple he has prepared himself to instruct the young minds and train the young ideas how to shoot.

We have a genius in the person of Marshal Adcox, who professes to make almost anything out of wood that art can accomplish. We herewith give you a specimen of his mechanism. He had a young calf two weeks old to die, and in order to pacify the cow he made a wooden calf to fit the hide of the calf that died and placed it upon his new calf, to which the cow would come regularly and stand to be milked as though it was her own natural offspring.

Another Otter was trapped a few days since. The hide sold for $5.

LUTHER.

Benevolent Mr. Wixham.

Detroit Free Press.

At a meeting of the Ladies' Benevolent Society, held the other day, it was resolved that a committee of four ladies be appointed to canvass for donations, and in the course of their peregrinations this committee yesterday dropped into Mr. Wixham's office. He received them as a gentleman should, and after the usual formalities one of them began:

Mr. Wixham, we are asking aid for benevolent purposes.

Ah! yes, Benevolence is a bump which should be cultivated. Are you looking after poor folks?

We are.

Very proper—very proper. You all have children of your own?

Oh, yes.

All of them are well fed, well clothed and well cared for, are they?

Yes sir.

That's very proper. I presume their stockings are properly darned, buttons in their places, and they say their prayers when they go to bed? Am I correct.

The women looked at each other in a sly way, and then at him, and one of them said:

We shall be happy for any contribution.

Yes'm, yes'm. You don't want this contribution for your own families, eh?

Well I am somewhat inclined to benevolence. Hardly a day passes that I don't do something for charity. Here's an old account of $26 against Mr. ——. I know he's hard up and having a close time to get along, and yesterday I cancelled the debt.

One of the canvassers turned red, white and blue and looked out of the window. That was her husband, but Wixham didn't know it.

And yesterday I found a poor, forlorn-looking little boy out here crying with hunger and cold. He said his name was Tommy —— and he lived at No. 36 — street. He hadn't been washed or combed for a week, and I felt sad for him. I was going to take him home and feed him, but he slipped away.

Another woman suddenly looked out of the window, and her pulse ran up to 120 a minute, but Wixham was as innocent as a lamb of any knowledge that it was her boy.

Then you won't aid us? queried the spokesman.

Oh, yes, certainly I will. I was simply figuring to see how much I could spare. I signed a note with Mr. —— last fall, and I had to pay it yesterday. That makes me feel rather poor.

The third woman didn't turn red, but green, but Wixham couldn't have possibly known that it was her husband.

Let's see. Let's see. I want to give you all I can spare. Mr—— on —— street, owes me four month's house rent, and I'll give you an order on him for $20.

The four women rose up. They rushed in a solid body for the door. They went out in a heap. Some were red and some were pale, and all mad. They tried to speak, but they couldn't, and as they hastened to get away from each other, Wixham held up the half-written order and gasped:

How very, very singular! Perhaps they thought they couldn't collect the money.

A Prudent Yankee Soldier.

Mr. Elijah Hitchcock was a Connecticut Constable whose character was under scrutiny. Deacon Solomon Rising was inquired of about him. "Deacon Solomon Rising," said the questioner, "do you think Mr. Hitchcock is a dishonest man?"

(Very promptly) "Oh, no, sir! not by any means."

"Well, do you think he is a mean man?"

"Well, with regard to that," said the deacon, a little more deliberately, "I may say that I don't really think he is a mean man; I've sometimes thought he was what you might call a keerful man—a prudent man."

"What do you mean by a prudent man?"

"Well, I mean this: that one time he had an execution for $5 against old Widow Witter, back here, and he went up to her house and levied on a flock of ducks. He chased them ducks, one at a time, round the house pooty much all day, and every time he catched a duck he'd set right down and wring his neck and charge mileage; and his mileage 'mounted to more than the debt. Nothing mean about it, as I know of, but I always thought after that that Mr. Hitchcock was a very 'prudent man."

WILL A BLOWER FIGHT?

The Strange Experience of a Small Nevada Community.

Virginia City Chronicle.

"I'm a roarin' ripsnorter from a hoorah camp, and I can't be stepped on," remarked a thick-set, white-eyed man, with a lower jaw like the cowcatcher of a locomotive, as he swaggered into a C street saloon and thumped the bar with his fist until the glasses jingled.

The barkeeper caught a whisky bottle that was just tumbling off the bar, and told the stranger that he needn't make so much noise about it, as nobody wanted to step on him.

"You bet they don't, young feller I'm an angel from Paradise Valley, and a bad one, too; and when I flop my wings there's a tornado loose. Give me some of your meanest whisky, and a whole lot of it—somthin' that tastes like bumblebee stings pickled in vitriol."

While the barkeeper was hunting around for some fusel oil and rubbing a glass with a red pepper, a group around the stove surveyed the stranger curiously. A thin gentleman with a bulging forehead and a dyspeptic look said to the others: "Now there's an illustration of what I was saying. A bully is always a coward. That fellow would have no moral courage whatever were he put to the test. If he were challenged to fight without cause he could not attain the sublime height of moral heroism to refuse. He would be afraid of being called a coward. But mind you, he would never brag and bully unless he thought he had the advantage. You see he is a stout man and presumes upon his physical superiority to most men to bully and blackguard them. Now, Bill here is stronger than that blowhard, but you never see him in a fight. He's quiet, but get him started and he would be a lion aroused. He's got moral courage."

The Bill referred to was a tall, powerfully built man, with steel-gray eyes and firmly set mouth. He said nothing in reply to the compliment paid to him, but quietly watched the angel from Paradise. The latter drank his whisky and smashed the glass on the bar.

"What in h—— do yer mean by giving a gentleman such stuff as that? Did I ask yer for rinsings, yer chicken livered whelp? I've got a graveyard full of roosters that played that racket on me. I've a good mind to fan the air with yer corpse."

"Now get out of this," said the barkeeper, becoming angry.

"Get out' nothin'. Gimme a drink, and all you starved bums around that stove, come up here and drink with a thoroughbred high stepper for once, just to say yo've drank in decent company. It'll be an honor to tell yer children about it some day, if such an ornery lot of cusses own any children. Now waltz up lively and take your medicine."

"Don't care for anything; thank you," said the dyspeptic philosopher, quietly.

"Yeh don't? Well, I tell yeh to take suthin'. I hold the age in this game, and when I chip everybody comes in. Ante up to the bar, now, and look pleasant. Great Scott! Yeh need suthin' in your belly to balance that swelled head of yourn. Come up, the rest of you bums."

Nobody stirred, but all looked at the dyspeptic, who said:

"We will not drink with you."

"No? It'd be cheaper for yoh to crawl into a prospect hole and pull a tombstone over yer head. I kin lick this whole town from b—— to breakfast, and I believe I'll start in on this deadfall. Look out for a hurricane when I swoop. Whoop! I'm a coming."

In about two minutes the bevel headed admirer of moral courage was a dilapidated piece of bric a brac, the big man called Bill was sopping cold water on his eye in the back room, and the rest of the crowd scattered about the place in various stages of discouragement, while the angel from Paradise was standing on a billiard table and shouting: "Where's the rest of yer population? Trot out yer cohorts and fetch on the mob. I'm an angel from Paradise and a holy terror when I flap my wings. I swallered a cyclone for breakfast and a powder mill for lunch, and haven't begun to cough yet. Where is the populace of this brokendown chicken ranche? I'm at myself to-night and I want exercise."

How he Found he Had a Trotter.

New Orleans Picayune.

"Stranger," said the stage driver, this was how I found out her speed: I was driving along the railroad track just as a big load of hotel furniture started. The freight car wouldn't hold it all, but they managed to squeeze everything in except a long bar mirror, which they tied to the side of the car. The mare saw her reflection in the glass, and thought it was another horse spurting for the lead. You couldn't have held her back with a steam windlass. She just laid back her ears and snotted along like a 20-inch shell. The passengers all began to get excited. They rushed out on the platform and began to make bets. The conductor stood up on a seat and began to sell pools. The engineer pulled the throttle valve wide open, and tore along at ninety-five miles an hour. Soon the mare was abreast of the cowcatcher. At San Bruno we had half a mile the lead. Near the Six-mile House the train was so much ahead of time that it fell through an open draw and everlastingly smashed up—seventy-two killed and 199 wounded. It was pretty rough on the passengers, but then we distanced the train, bet yer life. About a month after I sold that mare to her present owner for $60,000.

The State tax of Alabama is 70 cents on the $100; that of Arkansas 65 cents; Florida 70 cents; of Georgia 50 cents; of Louisiana 60 cents; of Texas 50 cents; of Virginia 50 cents.

The Other Side.

While the newspapers in general are giving the men fits for the devilish persistence with which they pursue women with unholy desires, wouldn't it be as well to say something about those who not only excite those desires, but who deliberately fan them to fever heat and keep them there by the manner in which they display or half conceal their charms! Man is not made of wood, therefore when a beautiful girl appears in public clad in such an audaciously suggestive costume as one described by the Cincinnati Enquirer's correspondent, it is a wonder if he does not succumb to its influence. Says Clara Belle (who, by the way, seems to have a fondness for describing voluptuous costumes): "A perfectly tight dress waist, with two circular masses of delicate flowers at the bosom, and these floral piles arrayed in concentric circles around two tiny pink rosebuds, was what I saw last evening on one of the sweetest and most innocent looking maidens it is possible to imagine. Of course the minx knew perfectly well how safely suggestive and alluring was this arrangement of her corsage. She had studied the effect in her mirror, beyond question, though her pretty face revealed no self consciousness when once she was under the fire of male eyes in the drawing room." This young lady could not have made matters worse by baring her bosom. We repeat that, when a woman deliberately resorts to such means to attract the admiration of the opposite sex, a man who approaches her with evil designs is not as much to be censured as the woman. If there was less immodest dressing, perhaps there would be fewer crimes of a certain character to record. To show the effect of voluptuous dressing, an incident is recalled of a young painter, poor but honorable, who attended a fashionable ball, at which were present many lovely women. With one of these he danced. The lady was clad in costly garments, and her neck, shoulders and half her bosom were bare. The young man stood beside her at a window after the dance, and gazed on her exposed charms until, maddened by desire, he seized her in his arms, kissed her face, lips, shoulders and bosom fiercely, and then, realizing what he had done, went to his room and shot himself through the heart. That woman was responsible for his conduct and his death. It would be well for teachers of morality to pay a little attention to such matters before going to extremities in denouncing all men. With less fast dressing there will be fewer fast men. —[Argus.

What a Boy Knows About Girls.

Girls are the most unaccountablest things in the world—except a woman. Like the wicked flea, when you have them they ain't there. I can cipher clean over the improper fractions, and the teacher says I do first rate; but I can't cipher out a girl, proper or improper, and you can't either. The only rule in the arithmetic that hits their case is the double rule of three. They are as full of Old Nick as their skins can hold, and they would die if they could not torment somebody. When they try to be mean they are as mean as pusley, though they ain't as mean as they let on, except sometimes, and then they are a good deal meaner. The only way to get along with a girl when she comes to you with her nonsense is to give her tit for tat, and that will flummux her, and when you get a girl flummuxed she is as nice as a pie. A girl can sow more wild oats in a day than a boy can sow in a year, but the girls get their wild oats sowed after while, which boys never do, and then they settle down as calm and placid as a mud-puddle. But I like girls first rate, and I guess the boys all do. I don't care how many tricks they play on me—and they don't care either. The boitytoityist girl in the world can always boil over like a glass of soda. By and by they get into the traces with somebody they like, and pull as steady as an old stage horse. That is the beauty of them. So let them wave, I say; they will pay for it some day, sewing on buttons and trying to make a man out of the fellow they have spliced on to, and ten chances to one it they don't get the worse of it.

Me and Betsy.

One day a bear walked out of the woods and, all uninvited, entered the humble home where the man and his wife Betsy were sitting. At sight of his bruinship the lord of creation arose from his chair with a wild yell of terror, and, without thought of his wife, hastened to climb to a place of refuge on top of an old Dutch clock that stood in one corner of the room. The more valiant Betsy stood her ground, and seized a long poker and fiercely attacked the bear, and did not desist, in spite of his gamic defence which he made until she had stretched him dead at her feet. Her lord and master from his safe perch watched the combat between her and the bear with evident interest, and over and anon kept shouting, "Give it to him, Betsy,". "Hit him another wipe across the head," "smash his infernal skull," etc. As soon as he became satisfied that the brute was dead and there was no danger of his "coming to," he hastened to descend from the clock and summon all the neighbors for miles around saying to all those whom he met, "I want you to come to our house and see the bear that Me and Betsy have just killed."

A New Calendar.

Puck proposes to re-name the months, describing them by names which would suggest their most prominent qualities. This would enable children to learn the names readily on the kindergarten plan, and the months, if this sensible plan were adopted, would be named as follows:

January would be Slushnary,
February would Slopuary,
March would be Windnary,
April would be Rainuary,
May would be Budnary,
June would be Warmnary,
July would be Roastnary,
August would be Broilnary,
September would be Chillnary,
October would be Coldnary,
November would be Frostnary,
December would be Snowuary.

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WASHINGTON LETTER.

WASHINGTON, March 19, 1881.

The new administration is fairly started upon its career, having been ushered in with more parade, enthusiasm, and good feeling, than any administration for years. The Cabinet, of which opinions have been already freely expressed, is generally regarded as politic and by no means weak in its composition. Much has been written in the daily press about the dissatisfaction of Senators Conkling and Cameron, but this, as nearly as I can ascertain, is mostly sensational. A careful analysis of the Cabinet does not reveal a preponderance of any of the elements that are said to be more or less antagonistic. It is not a Blaine Cabinet nor an anti-Blaine Cabinet, but it is a Garfield Cabinet. In facts it appears, from a disinterested standpoint, that the President had so nicely balanced the different interests that all the factions must be satisfied of his intention to deal fairly with them, while holding himself in a position to play them off against each other and provide for his own renomination in 1884. The Cabinet is thus the work of an experienced and acute politician, and is well received by the country. How these various element will work together is another question. The friction does not come so much over these appointments as over those which must be made later on. One thing alone stands out pre-eminently in the make-up of the Administration, and that is that "Westward the star of empire takes its way." Mr. Conkling may have wished to name a Secretary of the Treasury from New York, but he cannot complain when he has a friend for Postmaster General instead. Mr. Cameron doubtless wanted to have some voice in fixing Pennsylvania's representation, also, but he cannot reasonably complain that his own brother-in-law fills the place, especially when he has so good a brother-in-law as Wayne McVeagh.

At the very outset the President and his advisers are called upon to grapple with important questions. The situation between the Treasury Department and the national banks, growing out the action of the latter pending consideration of the funding bill in Congress, and the question whether an extra session is advisable, are matters that have occupied the serious attention of the Cabinet. The bulldozing tactics of the banks in surrendering legal-tenders and withdrawing their circulation worked well enough while Congress was in the way, but now that they want to take it all back, there is some doubt whether it is just the thing to let them do so. Concerning an extra session of Congress, there are many considerations favorable to it. Senators Edmunds and Conkling and Secretary Windom are of the opinion that one should be called, as are also many other of the party leaders, but Secretary Blaine and the President have not yet committed themselves. I think, however, it may be regarded as tolerably certain that a session will be convened about the 15th of May. The importance of passing a refunding measure that will save the $1,000,000 per month difference in interest, together with the settlement of questions relating to apportionment and the desire to promptly organize the two houses in the interests of the party, are the principal considerations operating in favor of a called session.

The Senate confirmed promptly the appointments sent in so far, and has spent the rest of that time in caucussing over reorganization. So long as the Republican vacancies remained unfilled the Democrats have had control, but with the seats all filled there is an element of uncertainty in the situation. Judge Davis, is now understood, will vote with the Democrats, and has been awarded the chairmanship of the Judiciary Committee in the new make-up of the committees. But if Senator Mahone comes down from the fence and lands on the Republican side there will be a tie, and Vice President Arthur will throw the organization into the hands of his party. Several well known faces are missed from the Senate chamber since March 4, and among them some of the ablest and most respected members of that body. This is especially true of the Democratic side. The fortunes of war have taken the best. Chief among them is Senator Thurman. Friend and foe agree that the country has produced few larger or better men than he. He is a great lawyer, and has been an honest, useful legislator—always a consistent Democrat. He spoke the truth the other evening when he said that he was brought up in a school that really believed what it said. However people may differ as to the soundness of Mr. Thurman's political views, it must be admitted that he has always been an honest and hard hitter in their behalf. His efforts on questions of legislation, especially those involving the relations of the Government with great corporations, have been of inestimable value. However efficient and worthy his successor may be, the country parts with regret with Senator Thurman—a strong, vigorous, honest, kindly man, whose weaknesses have, like the weaknesses of other great men, been the result of his ambition for the Presidency. He is now an old man, and [illegible] to return to any very active [illegible] public life.

Senator Eaton is a [illegible] will be missed. There is a good deal of affection felt for this rough old diamond. Honest men love an honest opponent, and a hard fighter, who stands up squarely and manfully and never resorts to artifice or treachery. Eaton is such a man, and the strong men on the Republican side like him. Like Thurman, he has always been on the honest side of legislation. McDonald is also missed by both parties, but he is young enough to come back some days, perhaps. Wallace is another of the leaders whose loss will be a serious one to his party. Kernan, too, makes a bad break in the ranks, and his face has probably been seen for the last time in public position. The Republican loss has been among the minor lights, whose places have been filled mostly by better men, and in this last turn of the wheel the advantages have largely fallen on that side of the chamber.

We had to set up these two lines to fill out this column.

THE SOUTH KENTUCKIAN.

CHAS. M. MEACHAM, EDITOR.

HOPKINSVILLE, MAR. 22, 1881.

It is now pretty certain that an extra session of Congress will be called about May 15th.

No child, the seven men who constitute the President's Cabinet are not "The seven wise men."

Another great man has been assassinated in the street. As Polk Johnson would say, we are getting so we are really afraid to venture out of doors.

Dittoo who has probably tried it, says,

A shoe buttoner won't unlock the front door of a fellow's residence late at night—or any other time.

Gen. Grant has resigned the Presidency of the World's Fair at New York in 1883. It wasn't the kind of Presidency he wanted. There was something to be done.

The Evansville Journal says the Democrats have discovered that the best ryhme to Mahone's name is, alone. Another good one is, disown.

Some thief stole the *Chronicle* youth's overcoat and he walls thusly:

Hail, gentle Spring, thy genial reign begin,
Old Winter put to ignominious rout;
For some thief has taken our heavy ulster "in,"
And we are ashamed to get our painted duster "out."

At Henderson, Mr. Will Held married Miss Anna Payne.

Though hearts are filled with happiness
When bound by wedlock's chain,
Yet when these two were joined together,
It seems Will Held A. Payne.

P. S.—The above verse is poetry of the first water, but we make no extra charges.

Dr. Burrows, of Louisville, recently preached a sermon from the text, "No man saw it, nor knew it, for they were all asleep," "I. Samuel XXVI, 12."

It was probably for the especial benefit of those who sleep in church.

The Guthrie Gazette will this week be moved to Allensville, and Capt. Duffy will cease to be its editor. We are sorry that Capt. Duffy will sever his connection with the Kentucky press. He is a witty and forcible writer and we trust that he may soon be back in the harness.

The Guthrie Gazette wants to know how we found out that a fellow is in the suburbs of Heaven when kissing a girl. We obtained our information at the last Press Convention from Frank Bristow, Dan O'Sullivan and others of the boys who had "been thar."

The Russellville Messenger has awakened from its Rip Van Winkle sleep of about eight months and comes to hand again with Messrs. O. C. Rhea and E. M. Browder as editors. We trust it may meet with success. Its editors are men of experience in editorial work and know how to get up a newsy paper.

An exchange says quite a row was raised in the Louisville High School because one of the girls gave a young gentleman a kiss to induce him to subscribe for the "School Friend," a paper edited by the young ladies of the school. We are afraid we would be a little bashful at first, but we will offer the same inducements to all young ladies who wish to subscribe for the SOUTH KENTUCKIAN, and will guarantee that no fuss is kicked up about it.

The Trigg Democrat does us a gross injustice in trying to make the impression that we would desire to see Esq. Clark, of Belleview, defeated by a negro for the Legislature. Esq Clark is a warm personal friend and we would as soon see him elected as any Republican in the county. We do not know that he will be a candidate and nothing was further from our intention than to cast any reflections on Esq. Clark and we are at a loss to see how a sensible man could put such a construction on the paragraph.

A bill has passed the Tennessee Legislature prohibiting males under 21 years, and females under 18 years old from marrying without the consent of their parents. This puts an end to Clarksville as a "Gretna Green" for Kentucky lovers. No more can they bid defiance to angry fathers and hie away across the State line and link their destinies. Numbers of couples from this and surrounding counties have eloped and married under the less stringent laws of Tennessee and now all this romantic business must stop. It is too bad, too bad.

Of the many nice things that have been said about Capt. Gaines, he should appreciate this from the Danville Tribune more than any, because its editor is a "howling wolf from Bitter creek," who goes upon the principle that the meanest Republican, is an angel of purity and virtue and the best Democrat is the incarnation of iniquity and corruption:

Capt. Sam M. Gaines, the talented and noble-hearted editor of the Hopkinsville New Era (one of the best newspapers in the land), is a candidate for Clerk of the Court of Appeals, and the Danville Tribune, stalwart as it is, hopes he may be elected, without opposition from any quarters. We can trust Sam Gaines.

The entire Press of the State with one or two exceptions will support Capt. Gaines and if he is not elected "then 160.000 Democrats will know the reason why."

Mahone has succeeded Bernhardt as an object of national interest. For some time it had been generally understood among Republicans that the Readjuster had been bought but Democrats continued to hope that they did not have a traitor in their camp. He has however come squarely out and announced his intention of voting with the Republican party in the future. The Senate has by his vote been organized with Republican committees. Mahone, possibly to show his power, voted with the Democrats at first and then very pompously arose and changed his vote, tying the body and leaving the Vice President to cast the vote that decided the matter in favor of the Republicans. There are a few such instances of treachery in history as Mahone's, but the traitors have invariably gone down to their graves detested and despised by all honorable people. No one doubts that Mahone has been bought with "filthy lucre."

The Republican party is beginning to see the blunder it made by yielding to the demands of the National banks when the President vetoed the 3 per cent funding bill. The party will find it difficult to justify an action whereby the government is compelled to expend $1.000.000 per month in needless interest, that goes to fill the pockets of the bondholders.

The Muhlenberg Echo had an article last week headed "a kiss on the sly." Probably Urey is giving an autographical sketch of his experience at the last Press convention, or it may be that he is the youth who raised such a racket in the Louisville High School,

"My stars alive! Have you heard the news?" asked one citizen of another, the other day. No, what is it? asked the other excitedly. "Why the Ce-zar of Russia, has been assassinated" was the reply, as he passed on to tell somebody else.

A new proposition for settling the Tennessee State debt has been made, which is likely to prove satisfactory to both parties. The bond holders agree to accept a three per cent bond to run 90 years.

Candidates for the Legislature are announcing themselves all over the State and in some counties the nominations have been made. A mania for office seems to have struck the editors, as some half a dozen are candidates for the Legislature.

In the Paducah Common Pleas court there are pending twenty-eight suits for divorce, by persons who have come to the conclusion that they drew blanks in the matrimonial lottery. And yet people will marry.

Alexander, the oldest living son of the late Czar, of Russia has been proclaimed Emperor and the Nihilists have sent him a warning. "Uneasy lies the head that wears a crown."

Garfield has announced his intention to crush out polygamy. Delegate Cannon will probably be denied his seat in Congress, from Utah, as he has four or five wives.

Gen Lew. Wallace has been appointed Minister to Peru.

STATE NEWS.

Paducah is wanting a new jail.

Several moonshiners have been nabbed at Grayson.

A Louisville policeman was dismissed for drunkenness.

Col. A. G. Hodges, an old editor died at Louisville last week.

The Anderson News solicits "spring odes," at $5 per line.

A citizen of Providence, Ky., drew $2,500 in the Louisiana Lottery.

The Lyon county News has abandoned the patent inside.

Wm. Barr hung himself at Monterey while temporarily aberrant.

Frank Nesbitt, a brakeman was killed by the cars near Georgetown.

Frank Cooper, a negro, was arrested at Henderson with a stolen horse.

The McLean county News was not dead but sleeping and has reappeared.

A brother of Ben Deering is half owner of the Jessamine Journal.

From three to four hundred dozen eggs are daily shipped from Georgetown.

Four prisoners escaped from the Calhoun jail, but two were captured next day.

Judge Cofer, of the Appellate Bench has gone to Hot Springs for his health.

The Kentucky Wool-growers Association will meet at Eminence the 6th of April.

A dead negro infant was found in Bowling Green and its mother is to be tried for infanticide.

The Times says Georgetown College is more prosperous than at any time since the war.

A man at Paducah dreamed he was a prize fighter and lit into his wife with his fists while asleep.

The Literary societies of Bethel College, Russellville will give a public entertainment next Friday evening.

The Columbus Times says it is for Sam Gaines but cannot support him because a Hickman county man is on the track.

Mr. Quisenberry has withdrawn the contested election suit in Clark county and Tom. Stuart is the acknowledge nominee.

Mrs. Bunyan, widow of Jno. Bungan, who died a few days since at Maysville, eloped to Aberdeen, O., and married Jno. Maddox.

Judge Cissell, of the Henderson Circuit District announces that hereafter he will not have witnesses called at the court house door but will enforce the penalties if they do not appear promptly in the court house upon the day summoned.

A bean which a little daughter of Mr. J. A. Thomas, of Hartford, swallowed, sprouted in her stomach and threw her into spasms.

Regulators whipped Wm. Dheil, a store keeper at Princess Furnace near Catlettsburg and ordered him to leave the county.

Hon. Crit. Reeves has been called upon to become a candidate for re-election to the Legislature from Todd county.

Two new Republican papers have been started during the present month in the State, one at Lexington by Ben Deering and the other here.

At Greenwood, Ky., Tom Young broke Steve Langford's skull with a car-pin, mortally wounding him, whereupon Reuben Langford followed Young and shot him dead.

David M. Baker, a brother of the late jailer of Hopkins county, has been appointed to fill the vacancy till the August election, when a jailor will be elected.

Bert. Wing, a brother of Chas. F. Wing, of Louisville, and the late E. Rumsey Wing has been sentenced to the penitentiary for 15 months for stabing a man named Martin, at Greenville two years ago. Wing was a student of a school at Lexington and came home to be tried.

GENERAL NEWS.

Chas L. Gates suicided at Memphis.

W. H. Vanderbilt sails for Europe April 14th.

Dr Francisco Garcia has been nominated for President of Peru.

A boy named Elbert Heske died of hydrophobia at Memphis.

Aug Faenster suicided at St. Louis by cutting his throat.

Tom Holman killed Ben Mayes at Memphis. Both colored.

Bismarck's son, Hubert, has eloped with a German Princess.

Trains are now running over the new Southern Pacific railroad.

Indiana has by a vote of the people adopted constitutional amendments.

Frank Padgett, a railroader suicided at Nashville by taking laudanum.

Dale Crockett, a Missouri counterfeiter, was arrested at Cairo, Ills.,

Two painters were killed by the falling of a scaffold at Newark, N. J.

Samuel Clugston was murdered in his room by a burglar at Valley Forge, Pa.

Darby Mitchell cut Harvey Blagg to peices with an ax at Gallipolis, O

Kalloch the murderer of DeYoung in San Francisco is pleading insanity.

Henry Dennison, Col, will hang April 15 at Des Arc, Ark., for the murder of his wife.

Oscar Nephoe, an Indian was killed by the cars at Red House Station, N. Y.

Gen. Ben Lincoln was secretary of war in 1781. He was no relation of Bob Lincoln.

A California court recently naturalized a native born Sensgambian African.

Jas Black, Col., was hanged at Marion, S. C., for the murder of Eli Wilcox.

Two 18 year old boys named Bennet and Hastie, quarreled at Markland Ind. and the latter killed the former.

Stephen Morey, a 16 year old boy, tried to suicide at St. Louis by taking strychnine.

Ed Broil went to the house of Wm Hays at Petersburg, Ind., to whip Hays and was killed in the broil.

A stage coach was fired upon and the driver killed near Contention. N. M.

Jno Williams a negro, was drowned at Dekatur Ala., while in a skiff on the river.

A Mulatto barber eloped with a wealthy white girl of Lancaster, O., their whereabouts is still unknown.

Ed Turner Col. was lynched at Hillsboro Miss., for grossly assaulting Mrs. Michael McIntosh.

The Prohibition amendment was defeated in the Arkansas Senate by a vote of 15 to 12.

Jas Adams, a member of the Nevada Legislature, was killed in a saloon by Adolph Schandor.

The Steamer Jno. Means burst her boiler and sank in the Mississippi near Memphis, and four of her crew were drowned.

An altercation took place between two little boys of Gallatin, Tenn., one white and the other black, and the latter was killed with a stone.

There are 43.000 postoffices in the United States and last year over 2.200.000.000 letters and packages were mailed at these offices.

Tom Gorslan, a desperado, who killed the city Marshal of Socorro, N. M., was captured at Alberquerque and lynched.

Geo Elliott, of Montgomery County Tenn., was taken from his house at night by masked men and soundly thrashed for whipping his mother.

President Garfield has sent the name of Stanley Matthews of Ohio to the Senate as Justice of the Supreme Court. He will likely be confirmed this time.

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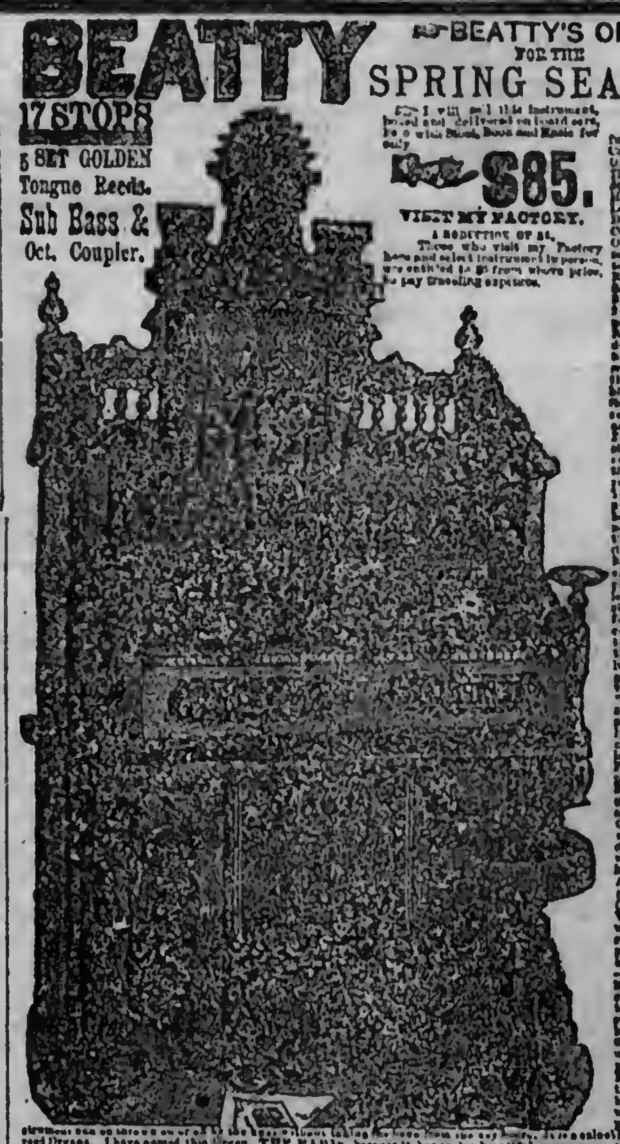

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Dissolution Notice.

The firm of Streng & Frankel, Hopkinsville, Ky., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All persons owing said firm will please come forward and settle immediately, and all persons to whom said firm are indebted will please present their accounts for payment.

STRENG & FRANKEL.

Feb. 22, 1881.

Notice.

I have this day sold my interest in the firm of Streng & Frankel, Hopkinsville, Ky., to Messrs. M. Frankel & Sons, and I bespeak for the new firm the same liberal patronage in the future as has been extended to the old firm in the past. The new firm is authorized to settle all the business of the old firm. J. STRENG.

Feb. 21, 1881.

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SOCIALITIES.

Mr. Frank T. Street, of Cadiz, was in the city Friday.

Mr. John C. Herndon, of Louisville, is at the Phoenix.

Mrs. Saxe, of Cincinnati, is visiting her brother Mr. M. Lipstine.

Mr. M. Gant has gone East to purchase a new stock of spring goods for his new cash store.

Another entertainment will be given at Bethel Female College some time in April.

Mr. B. Rosenbaum returned Thursday from a trip East, whither he went to purchase spring goods.

Mr. John L. Street of Cadiz, passed through the city Monday, en route East to purchase his spring stock.

Mr. Reynolds, of Muhlenberg Co. was at the college on a visit to his daughter last week.

Bishop Dudley is in the city and will leave to-day for Princeton, accompanied by Rev. Chas. Morris.

Mr. Jno. W. Payne returned Saturday from Nashville, whither he had been in the interest of the *New Era*.

Mrs. J. E. Summers, of Cadiz, was the guest of Mrs. Cooper at the Phoenix, last week for a day or two.

Capt. M. H Crump, of Bowling Green came down Saturday and spent Sunday with his friends in this city.

Col. Jno. C. Day, the popular auctioneer, has been sick for several days but we are glad to see him on the streets again.

Mr. Herman G. Leichhardt, of Monticello, Iowa, is in the city, the guest of his brother-in-la Mr. W. S. Davison.

Mr. Ike Hart has returned from a trip to the East, whither he went some days since to purchase goods for the spring trade.

Mrs. Wm. Rutherford and her daughter, Miss Katie, of Peoria, Ills, arrived Saturday on a visit to Mr. Jas. Rutherford.

Miss Willis Clark, of Memphis, who is visiting friends in the county was in the city Thursday and, went to hear Miss Fetter.

Mr. R. H. Cockefair, the gentlemanly agent of the White's Combination, was in the city the latter part of last week and paid us a pleasant call.

Miss Annie Lieber, of Henderson, is visiting Mrs. I. Dinkelspell, and a certain young merchant across the street is happy in the superlative degree.

Mr. Dennis Barbee has accepted a position with the implement house of J. H. Winfree & Co. He is a popular young gentleman and will do good work for his house.

Miss Lula Bryan, who has been spending some time with Miss Bettie Burke, of this place, left for home in Hopkinsville, one day of this week, accompanied by Mr. Jeff Gentry.—Trigg Democrat.

Miss Katie Williams, the bright and *petite* brunette of Mecklenburg county, Va, who has been spending some time with Miss Jessie Carr, left yesterday. Her many friends here, male and female, married and single, will remember her tenderly a long, long time.—Princeton Banner.

BY HIS OWN HAND.

C. G. Shanklin Shoots Himself Through the Heart.

A thrill of horror ran through the city last Wednesday, shortly after noon' when it was announced that Chas. G. Shanklin had coolly and deliberately taken his own life. The circumstances were as follows. Mr. Shanklin it seems was considerably embarrassed financially and became dejected and troubled and the day before threatened to take his life. He was reasoned with and finally agreed to abandon the idea. On Wednesday morning he again said that he would not be alive at sunset. About nine o'clock he went to a friend who was ignorant of his trouble and borrowed his pistol, promising to return it in the evening. He was shortly afterwards missed but no suspicions were aroused till dinner, when search was instituted and his dead body found. He had gone to the third story of his business house stretched himself upon the elevator and shot himself through the heart. The pistol was lying by his right side. Persons in the vicinity stated that they heard the shot between nine and ten o'clock but thought nothing of it at the time. He had been dead about three hours when found. An inquest was held and a verdict rendered in accordance with the above facts.

He was buried at 4 o'clock P. M. on Thursday by the K. of P. Lodge and the procession that followed his remains to the grave was the largest seen in this city for years. Mr. Shanklin was a member of the Christian church, the K. of P. and the K. of H. lodges and was chairman of the Democratic county committee. He was a very valuable citizen and a useful member of the lodges to which he belonged. He was Past Chancellor of Evergreen Lodge and captain of the Knight corps. His funeral was preached by Rev. C. K. Marshall. His death is deeply lamented by the entire community, particularly so on account of the horrible manner of his taking off. He had his life insured for the benefit of his creditors and was also insured in the National Mutual, K. of P. and K. of H. co-operative companies.

HERE AND THERE.

Sap is rising.

The oat crop will be large.

Prepare to plant corn.

Buttercups are coming up.

Buds are beginning to swell.

New goods are coming in.

Sunday was the Vernal equinox.

"The Gyrascutus hays arrove."

The beautiful spring has come.

Shows three nights nexts next week,

Wm. Guild the popular barber advertises this week. Give him a call.

John bills printed at this office cheaper than ever before.

The days are now lengthening at the rate of three minutes per day.

The chirp of the newly hatched chicken is heard abroad in the land.

One agent secured twenty-five new subscribers for the South Kentuckian last week.

We have heard no complaint of the roads being dusty for the last several months.

Nine persons were admitted into the Episcopal Church on last Friday afternoon.

The death of Mr. Shanklin leaves the Democratic County Committee without a chairman.

Messrs. Gregory & Bro., are making internal improvements in their store-house on Nashville street.

Equine photographs and biographical sketches supplied at this office in the highest style of the art.

No more elopements to Tennessee. Kentucky lovers will have to cross the Ohio now to outwit opposing parents.

The stock of goods of the late firm of Terry & Tillow was partly closed out at auction last week by the assignee, Mr. Grissam.

S. H. Turner and W. T. Cooper are the agents for the Willard Hotel Lottery. The drawing comes off April 7th, and those desiring tickets should secure them at once.

Rev. Dr. Hoyt, of Nashville, a minister of great power and eloquence as a speaker, is conducting a series of meetings at the Second Presbyterian Church. It will continue morning and evening throughout the week.

Miss Alberta Pendergast, the young lady elected to fill the vacancy in the seventh grade of the Public Schools is giving the utmost satisfaction. She is an excellent disciplinarian, as well as a thorough and efficient teacher.

Important alterations and improvements are being made in the depot. It is high time as the depot has been a very poor one for a city the size of ours. It might do very well for a small station.

Bishop Dudley preached two very excellent sermons at Grace church Sunday to congregations that were limited only by the capacity of the house. At night nine persons were confirmed as members of the church.

A local dramatic club gave a public entertainment at Trenton last Friday night. We regret that we were unable to accept an invitation to attend, but feel assured that the young people who had the affair in hand made a success of it.

The Chairman of the Republican County Committee has called a meeting for April 2d, to take some action about nominating a candidate for the Legislature. We have heard of no candidates who have announced themselves as yet.

The first number of the *Republican* appeared last Thursday. The sheet is the same size as the SOUTH KENTUCKIAN. The editor announces that the paper will be "the fearless exponent of Republicanism in every sense of the word." Mr. Miller the editor, is a courteous gentleman and will make his paper in every way worthy the support of his party.

See the advertisement in this issue of Messrs. Forbes & Gant the new planing mill firm. The new member, Mr. J. T. Gant combines a thorough knowledge of the business with fine business qualifications and will no doubt prove a capable accession to the firm.

The debating society met Saturday night and discussed the question that is engaging the attention of several State Legislatures, viz: "Should women vote?" Messrs Knight and Henry were the disputants and the decision was rendered in favor of the negative.

Some of the papers of the State think Hopkinsville is threatened with smallpox simply because the public school regulations required all children to be vaccinated before matriculating. This is the extent of the "scare" and the cause of the wholesale vaccination. There has not been the slightest indication of a case of smallpox here for years.

We paid a visit to the Public Schools last week and were shown through the departments by the efficient Superintendent, Prof. Dietrich. There are now in the school over 420 pupils in regular attendance. The schools are divided into eight grades and preparations are being made to employ an additional teacher, there being more in one of the grades than one teacher can instruct. The schools are now fairly under way and in working order, and the manner in which they are being conducted is meeting the hearty approval of all those interested. Prof. Dietrich is very courteous in his treatment of visitors.

AMUSEMENTS.

MISS SELENA FETTER

Miss Fetter the brilliant young Louisville actress has *veni vidi vicied* Hopkinsville, having been greeted by decidedly the best house of the season. She appeared last Thursday evening in the play of "The Wife". The play itself is not much, the plot is so obscure that it was not until the third act that it began to dawn upon the audience. The last two acts were very interesting and at times highly tragic, and Miss Fetter's rendition of the role of Merine was satisfactory. When it is remembered that she had appeared in the character scarce half a dozen times and upon the stage hardly a dozen times she is a fine actress. She possesses talent of a high order and has certainly made a brilliant beginning. Her support was fair. Mr. Huntley is a favorite here but most of the others were strangers to our people. Miss Fetter contemplates returning in April when we hope to see her in a better piece. She will be greeted with a full house, as she has made a most agreeable impression here as well as wherever she has been.

WHITE'S COMBINATION.

The F. G. White combination will be in this city three nights of next week, beginning Monday. The three pieces presented will be "Joshua Whitcomb," "Risen from the ashes" and "Hidden Hand." "Joshua Whitcomb" the play that will be rendered Monday night is somewhat after the style of "Uncle Dan'l" and Mr. White has won a wide reputation as an actor of fine talent. The following notice is clipped from the Lexington Press.

"The White Combination made their last appearance in this city on Saturday night. The piece produced was "Joshua Whitcomb," and it received not only the attention of the audience, but the company, for they seemed to do all in their power to make a success of the play, which they certainly did. Miss Goodrich is a petite little actress and never fails to make herself a favorite wherever she appears. She is possessed of rare attainments as a dramatic star and has a brilliant future before her. It is needless to say much of Mr. White, for he is well known. He never opens his mouth but what he makes you laugh. Mr. Kelter is a good comedian; he is "by jove" Miss Lawrence, Mr. Wilcox, and in fact, the whole company, are deserving of notice. Mr. White has a well selected company, and with the assistance of his gentlemanly agent, R. H. Cockefair, he is bound to succeed."

Tickets for sale at Evans' drug store at the usual prices.

DEATHS.

NEWCOMB.—At the residence of his mother, in this city, a few days since, Mr. Jacob Newcomb, a young man about 21 years old. He was stricken down in early manhood by that fell destroyer consumption.

PHIPPS.—At the residence of his father, Mr. W. W. Phipps, near this city, on the 14th, inst., Tommie Phipps, aged 12 years. Some days before, while playing with a toy pistol, he made a slight bruise on his hand, which, insignificant at first, gradually got worse, until it threw him into lockjaw and resulted fatally.

LUNDERMAN—At his residence near Pembroke, on the 5th, inst., Thos. Lunderman, an old and respected citizen. He died on his 76th birthday.

SIMMONS.—At the residence of his brother, near Pembroke, on the 7th inst., Jos. B. Simmons, in the 35th year of his age.

ACCIDENTS.

LEG BROKEN.

On Friday evening Mr. W. H. Forgy, of Pembroke, had his leg broken by jumping from a buggy. Dr. W. M. Fuqua was passing with a lady in a buggy when his horse became frightened at a bicycle which a boy was riding and began to try to run. Mr. Forgy leaped from his buggy to catch Dr. Fuqua's horse, but caught his foot and fell, breaking his leg below the knee. He was taken to the residence of Dr. J. W. McClanahan and the fractured limb set. The accident happened in the suburbs of the city, on the Clarksville pike. Mr. Forgy is getting along pretty well, though his injury is a serious one.

ARM CUT OFF.

A little colored boy, a son of Alex. Thompson, had his arm cut off by the cars at the depot Saturday. Accidents will continue to happen as long as children are allowed to fool around moving trains.

Mr. O. O. Stealey the able and efficient correspondent of the Courier-Journal, who is traveling over the South in the interests of that paper was in the city a day or two last week and visited the public schools, the Asylum and other places of interest.

The firm of Gant & Davison has been dissolved, Mr. Davison retiring from the firm. Mr. M. Gant will continue business at the same stand, but will sell strictly for cash. He has gone East and will purchase a complete stock of Spring goods, which he will sell cheaper than the same goods have ever been sold before. He is a gentleman of popularity and experience and his friends will be glad to learn that he will remain in the dry goods business.

The class in dancing under the instruction of Miss Hieronymous has made fine progress, and all the scholars assert themselves as more than satisfied. New additions are being made every week to her class, and we hope she may have a class sufficiently large to justify another session.

Resolutions of Respect.

WHEREAS, Evergreen Lodge, No. 38, K. of P., has been apprised of the sudden and untimely death of our dearly beloved brother, C. G. Shanklin, who departed this life March 16, 1881, in Hopkinsville, Ky., therefore be it

Resolved, That in the death of brother Shanklin our Order loses a member valiant and true, ever faithful to the trusts reposed in him; who as a Knight was prompt and punctual in his attendance, and as an officer efficient and impartial in the discharge of his duties.

Resolved, That we deeply deplore the death of our brother, who had presided over us in council and commanded us in the field, with distinction to himself and credit to the Lodge, and who had stood by and helped to sustain our noble Order when the hovering clouds and howling gales of adversity threatened to annihilate it, and who rejoiced in his heart when the golden beams of prosperity smiled upon it.

Resolved, That in living brother Shanklin enjoyed our respect and esteem and exemplified even unto death the noble teachings of our Order.

Resolved, That these resolutions be spread upon our records, a copy be furnished to the bereaved family of the deceased, and to each of the city papers and the Pythian Journal for publication, and that we wear the usual badge of mourning for 27 days.

CHAS. M. MEACHAM, W. S. DAVISON, J. C. GANT, } Committee

CASKY.

Miss Georgie Bowles returned home from a two weeks visit to Hopkinsville friends last week.

Misses Minnie and Annie McKee are in your town this week the guests of Mrs. Frank Rogers.

Rev. Thos. Bottomly came out on the morning accommodation Saturday to visit the members of his flock in this vicinity.

Mrs. W. L. Casky, who was taken suddenly ill Wednesday has now so far recovered as to be able to sit up.

The Grangers met Friday, with a good attendance, notwithstanding the pleasant weather for farm work.

James A. Campbell and Master Jimmie Winfree came out Sunday to attend church at Pleasant Grove.

The rope operating W. S. Bowles' Back Action Bell telephone, extending from his residence to his store on the opposite side of the railroad came near causing the fall of a brakesman Friday by catching him under the chin. The railroader said he first thought an angel was trying to lasso him.

Uncle Johnney Maker the old stone mason who so mysteriously disappeared a few weeks ago, returned last week, to the great joy of Mr. Frisby who mourned him as lost.

Mr. John Gaines was at the Station Friday, displaying the American Corn Planter, which he is agent for. He reports sales as being good wherever he has shown the planter.

Andy Bowles hitched up "old Gray" to his spring wagon last Thursday, and with his wife departed on a visit to the Garrettsburg neighborhood.

Mr. M. Frisby and family with their lares and penates left for Adams Station, Tenn., where he has a contract to get out stone for the railroad company.

Casky Station has a veritable ghost now, "a will o' the wisp which flits from tree to tree" in the grove between the depot and church. Children go to bed at sun down and all the chickens are safe on that side of the track the rest of the spring at least.

Mr. James T. Garnett was over at the Station on a visit during the pleasant weather of last week for the first time in several months. Every one who knows him is glad to see him out again after the recent severe illness, for no one in the county is more deservedly popular.

RAED.

Advertised Letters.

Which, if not called for in thirty days, will be sent to Washington, D. C.:

Alder, Tom	Blankenship, E J
Brown, Amanda	Benton, Eddie
Buckner, Julia	Burns, John
Coburn, E D	Coursey, Mittie
Curry, Clay	Duval, Joseph
Davis, Henry	Dugles, Frank
Elkins, L E S	Fallalier, John
Foard, Andrew	Fergerson, Dave
Green, Lem	Graves, John A
Goul, Bettie	Green, Tom
Garnett, Mary E	Green, Hattie
Halbert, W W	Hill, Elijah
Havel, Brock	Johnson, Elizabeth
Jones, Susan	Irving, Morgan
Kirkman, J A	Lance, Joseph
Lasator, B B	Long, W J
Lawson, Susan	Miller, Singleton
McQuire, M L	Mendel, Paulina
McCarty, Fannie	Morrison, Mollie
Meacham, Peter	McLaughlin Ben S
McClardy, John	Oshan, W B
Porter, Elizabeth	Reynolds, Hattie S
Stafford, John	Simons, Geo E
Samuel, Sallie F	Johan, M J
Spell, John A	Spates, Rosa
Senier, Sam	Thoon, Chas
Thompson, Sam	Talbot, Eitie
Trober, Fannie	Wright, T F
Wheat, Bell,	Wolf, Ellen
Wills, Charley	

When called for please say "advertised S. H. Unrhridge, P. M., Hopkinsville, Christian Co. Ky., March 18 1880.

Obituary.

Died, March 16, Mr. Charles G. Shanklin, of this city; in the 38th year of his age. He had been a citizen of this place for ten years, and his blameless life and his high sense of honor were universally respected. His name had become a synonym for all that was noble and chivalrous. In his death the community reckons the loss of an honored citizen, religion a faithful devotee, and his family a tender, loving husband and father. Though his end came as it did, he was actuated by a motive, heroic, yea, God-like in its character.

He leaves five sprightly children and a wife who will not be comforted. If tears and agonized grief could aught avail not long would he lie beneath the cold imprisoning clay.—Oh! that God who has seen fit to visit upon her devoted head the direst affliction in all the catalogue of His dread decrees, would vouchsafe to her that christian resignation which is sorrow's only antidote. May she reflect that her loss is his glorious, eternal gain, that the thread of loved communion which has been temporarily severed will in a few swift-sped years be taken up to continue in a purer, noble phase through all the countless ages of the second life.

Just one little word would we whisper to sorrow,
Which bewails the sad fate that tore him away;
TRUST—and be calm in the hope that to-morrow
The meeting will the anguish of parting repay.

G.

While removing some rubbish in a back yard at Cadiz, a negro named Frank Chappell found a pocket book containing $1050 in bank notes. The notes were almost worthless from the action of the weather for perhaps years.

TOBACCO NEWS.

HOME.

Sales by Abernathy & Co., March 16th, 1881, of 66 hhds. as follows:

42 hhds. good to common leaf from $7 60 to $5 50.

24 hhds. lugs, from $4 00 to $5 25.

No fine tobacco offered. We quote prices firmer on all grades, with a slight advance on Medium leaf.

Sales by Buckner & Wooldridge, March 16 and 17, '81, 90 hogsheads as follows:

28 hhds. medium to good leaf, $7 10 to $9 60.

16 hhds. common to low leaf, $5 90 to 6 30.

25 hhds. medium to good lugs, $4,10 to $5 25.

22 hhds. common and trashy lugs, $3 80 to 3 95.

Market continues along firm and full, with a good general demand for all grades. We have a large board of both home and foreign buyers and a good live market.

Dark and heavy tobaccos have been steady, and during the last four or five days the tendency has been in favor of sellers, at least for the 1880 crop. Both lugs and leaf are selling 25c to 50c higher than last week. Old crop tobaccos remain quiet, and no new features have been developed.—Home Journal.

SEED IN ONE OUNCE.—Mr. W. S. Johnson, of the drug firm of W. S. Johnson & Bro., one of our most enterprising and energetic business men, has sold during the last two months a large amount of White Burley tobacco seed. To satisfy himself, and perhaps to gratify his many friends throughout the country with an interesting display of patience, he has made the following calculations: He weighed one ounce of seed, and then counted them one by one. In an ounce thus counted he found 237,875 seed; estimating 7,000 plants to the acre, one ounce of seed, if every seed were to produce a good plant, would set out over forty-eight acres, but by close observance it is found that an ounce of seed will only furnish plants for about seven and a half or eight acres. Persons who have purchased an ounce of seed and sown it in a separate bed may be able to test the correctness of his estimate by giving the matter a little attention at planting time.—Henderson Reporter.

SINKING FORK.

Mrs. W. T Wood who has been ill for some time, is able to attend to house-hold duties again.

A little negro girl was badly burnt at Rickettsville 15th inst, from which she died on the 17th.

Spring is coming: keep your children out of the fields.

A large portion of the tobacco from this section has been sold and a good price realized. Some few, however have not yet sold. Preparations are being made for a large crop next season.

More oats are being sowed than for many years, as the land was not seeded in wheat. More clover than common will be sowed this spring. This looks cheering for the country.

Greenie has returned from a visit to Fairview, to see her brother.

Bro. A. W. Meacham will preach on the 4th Saturday and Sunday and desires all the members to come out promptly at 10 o'clock.

W. F. Wood Esq. will hold his court on the 26th and has a large docket to dispose of. Guess Roy and Raymond will be on hand to speak their parts. By the way, Roy is sheriff (dep.) now: Hurrah for Roy!

Stephen and Thos. Hill, two of our noble young men made a flying trip to the western country last week to make a fortune, which they met with in the form of spotted fever at Evansville, Ind., and returned last Sunday safe and sound to their friends. Pity to shed so many tears for nothing! oh (?)

EMDE.

MACEDONIA.

Trade fair to middling.

There seems to be an insatiable demand for garden seeds.

No quotable change in country produce.

Wanted, enough tobacco seed to sow eight acres of stalk land.

Measles are raging in the southern portion of Caldwell county.

The farmers are about through gathering corn and sowing oats. Some have begun plowing for corn.

Our roads are comparatively good again and our farmers are getting their tobacco on the market. It is to be hoped that money will be more plentiful hereafter.

Messrs. Ezekiel and James Hamby have rented Mr. Daniel McKnight's storehouse at the mill for the purpose of selling family groceries this year.

Messrs. D. E. Fowler and D. H. Glover, two of our cleverest citizens are going into the tanbark business this spring. They will work a good many hands, and we bespeak for them a profitable business.

I am willing to wager all my stock in the present waste basket that I have more good looking widows visit me than any other poor pigmy in the whole county. Now somebody demand an explanation.

Died at his home near McKnight's mill, Mr. Jas. Orten, an estimable citizen of about four score winters. Notwithstanding he attained to a great age it seems hard for his many bereaved friends to give him up.

Mr. Daniel Hamby, of Hopkins county and Miss M. R. Orten, of this county, were married at Hopkinsville last week. Also at the bride's home near this place on the 14th inst, Mr. W. B. Hamby to Miss Adaline Ell, 'Squire J. R. Fuller officiating, all of this vicinity.

I regret to learn that Mr. J. R. Ell, our constable elect, is in very bad health. I fear he will never be able to fill his office. Mr. Ell is a worthy gentleman and if blessed with good health would make an efficient officer. More anon.

ROUGH AND READY.

Assignee's Notice.

On Saturday, the 26th, at 9 o'clock A. M., I will proceed to sell at Public Auction, the remainder of goods belonging to Terry & Tillow. There are many valuable articles for sale yet and they are bringing almost nothing So come along and bring your change and save at least 50cts to the $1 00.

The store room lately occupied by Terry & Tillow is for rent until the 1st of January 1882. One of the best business stands in the city. Apply to M. W. GRISSAM. Assignee.

OPIUM and Morphine habit cured. The Original and only absolute CURE. Send stamp for book on Opium Eating, to W. B. Squire, Worthington, Greene Co., Ind.

OPIUM and Morphine Habit absolutely and speedily cured. Painless; no publicity. Send stamp for particulars. Dr. Carlton, 187 Washington St., Chicago, Ill.

Special Locals.

JUST RECEIVED!

We have received our entire Spring Stock and are ready to show you the most complete line of DRY GOODS, Clothing, Boots, Shoes, Hats and Gents Furnishing Goods ever brought to Hopkinsville.

M. Frankel & Sons, Successors to Streng & Frankel.

I take this method of stating to my friends that I have opened a first-class Saloon at Yancey's old stand, under the South Kentuckian office, and will keep on hand a complete assortment of the best Wines, Liquors, and Cigars to be found in this city. A Billiard Hall is kept in readiness for all who like the game. Meals at all hours. Call and see me.

E. L. Gouhot.

NOTICE!

A change having been made in the firm, I wish to settle up my old business. Consequently all persons knowing themselves indebted to me will please call immediately and settle all outstanding accounts. Grateful for past favors, I would ask a continuance of your patronage.

Respectfully,
M. C. Forbes.

Northern Early Rose, Peerless and Russett Potatoes at M. W. Grissam & Co's., at $1,25 per bushel.

All kinds of Garden Seeds at M. W. Grissam & Co's.

Money Wanted.

WANTED—To borrow $2,000, the loan to be secured by mortgage on valuable real estate. For particulars apply at this office.

Go to James Pye's the Clothing Palace, and buy you a Spring Suit. If he has nothing to fit you, give him your order and he will have it made for you in the Merchant Tailoring department of his establishment.

Choicest lot of Spring Hats in town at James Pye's.

RETAIL MARKET REPORT

CORRECTED WEEKLY BY N. B. EDMUNDS & CO.

Pork	7c
Bacon, Shoulders	8½c
Sides	11c
Hams, country	12 1-2c
Hams, sugar-cured	12 to 13c
Flour, choice	$6,50 to $7,00
" good	$6.25
Molasses choice N.O.	50 to 70
" in half bbls.	50 to 60
Maple Syrup	$1,50
Golden Drip, pure	65c
Candles	15 to 20c
Butter	15 to 25c
Eggs	12½c
Hominy, gallon	20c
Corn meal	50c
Clover Seed	$5,50
Cut nails, rate	$3.50
Lard, country	11c
Lard, snow-flake	12½c
Beans, navy	$2,75
Apples per bbl	$3.50 to 4.00
" Dried	5c
Coffee, Rio	15 to 20
" Java	27 to 30
" Mexican or Cardova	20
Cheese, factory	18 to 20
" Young American	20
Rice, Carolina	8½c
Sugar, N. O.	8 1-2 to 10
" granulated	11 3-4 to 12 1-2
Salt, 7 bu. bbl.	$2.25
Potatoes, Irish	90c
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Corn, doz.	$1,50 to $2,00
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I hereby warn all persons, in view of the law, against hiring or paying wages to William Garrott, a negro boy about 18 years of age. Said boy being my son I will collect full wages from any person hiring him or detaining him upon his or her premises. He is an habitual runaway from his home in Palmyra, where I reside.

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March 22, 1881-3w

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At his old stand on Main Street, invites the attention of the public to his large and immense stock of Jewelry, which embraces

GOLD AND SILVER WATCHES,

CLOCKS, JEWELRY, SPECTACLES, SILVERWARE, STUDS,

Sleeve Buttons, Eardrops, Rings, Gent's and Ladies Pins, Watch Chains, Charms, Necklaces and Lockets of the very latest style,

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Feb. 1, 1881-1y. Very respectfully, JAMES L. WAHL.

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I have removed my stock of goods to the store house formerly occupied by Mr. Louis Elb, on WEST SIDE OF MAIN STREET,

Where I will be pleased to wait on my old customers and all new ones that call on me. My stock consists of

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My stock of Ready-Made Clothing is large and well selected, and I would ask a careful examination of my stock before purchasing elsewhere, as I can suit you in prices and goods.

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Jan. 25, '81-1y Respectfully, ISAAC HART.

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Nov. 30, 1880-6m.

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No, child; Mr. Hayes didn't strike for higher wages; he strock for home. —[Dittoe.

Every rhymester who measures six feet in his stockings is not necessarily a Longfellow.—[Breckenridge News.

At Cairo, the other day, Mr. John Catter married Miss Isa Wunl. What a catterwauling there'll be in their house in the course of a year or two. —[Breckenridge News.

"Whom can we trust?" is the black type inquiry of an exchange. It is of no consequence. "Whom can we induce to trust us?" is the soul agonizer.—[Ex.

Webster says "base" means the bottom of anything. Mr. Webster is partially mistaken. The bottom of a pair of breeches are not its base.—[State Journal.

If David Davis and Mahone work together as Independents, some people will be reminded of the couplet:

"The animals came two by two,
The elephant and the kangaroo."

—[Mobile Register.

We accidentally overheard the cooing of a pair of lovers the other night. We were reminded of our boyish days many hundred years ago—they were very young and this was their first attack. Never mind, children, you will both live over it.—[Elkton Register.

A young lady was caressing a pretty spaniel and murmuring: "I do love a nice dog." "Ah!" sighed a dandy, standing near, "I would I were a dog." "Never mind," retorted the young lady sharply, "you'll grow."—[Ex.

In Madison county, this State, a young man walked fourteen miles to get a marriage license, and when he got to the Clerk's office he forgot the name of his girl and couldn't think of it to save him. But he was sure she was a girl.—[State Journal.

Preacher says he once preached a very peculiar sermon. It was soothing, stirring and satisfying—so soothing that half the congregation went to sleep; so stirring that the other half left before he finished; and so satisfying that none of them ever came back to hear him again.—[Guthrie Gazette.

When rural editors have to "stop the press to announce," or are overrun with job work, they are likely to mix things. One of them, speaking of an unfortunate man, says: "He was shot without any provocation. About one year previous to his removal from this place he married a poor but estimable Christian lady. We regret the occurrence exceedingly."—[Evansville Journal.

A good many farmers don't yet know what a silo is. It is an air-tight receptacle for ensilage. And a good many don't know what ensilage is. It's what they put in the silo.—[Dittoe.

Now, boys, mark this, and don't you all
Be wasting time at school,
But go to some great, big ox nawl
And drive a tow path mule.
Do this—and split a rail or two—
And see what luck will come to you.

—[Yeoman.

The schoolmates of Jeems Garfield seem to have "struck it fine," and now while Jimmie is remembering them with good offices, he should not forget that his teachers are also expecting to be provided for. Mr. Garfield, some fifty odd years ago, went to school to Frank Bristow, of the Elkton Register, who was then an old man, and suggest to his old pupil that it would be doing some small service to his venerable preceptor if he would send him as minister to the "Fountain of Youth."—[Tobacco Leaf.

Lexington Press: Mr. Editor, to settle a dispute between Democrats and Republicans in this section, please answer the following questions: Did John D. Whiteknock Polk Johnson down at Frankfort during the last session of the Kentucky Legislature? I say he did not. [You are correct Ed]—[Kentucky Sentinel.

You can bet your ducats on that. The crested jayhawk of the mountains could never come that over the bald-headed snipe of the valley, and expect to see his father again unless he is in heaven. Phew! It makes our blood curdle to think of what might have been.—[Yeoman.

A Strange Preacher.

There was once a minister of the Gospel who never built a church
Who never preached in one.
Who never proposed a church fair to buy the church a new carpet.
Who never founded a new sect.
Who never belonged to any sect,
Who frequented public houses and drank wine with sinners.
Who never received a salary.
Who never asked for one.
Who never wore a black suit or a white neck tie.
Who never used a prayer book.
Or a hymn book;
Or wrote a sermon.
Who never hired a cornet soloist to draw souls to hear the "word."
Who never advertised his sermons.
Who never even took a text for his sermons.
Who never went through a course of theological study.
Who was never ordained.
Who was never even "converted."
Who never went to conference.
Who was he?
Christ.—Exchange.

A gentleman traveling in a railway carriage was endeavoring to impress some argument on a fellow passenger who was seated opposite to him and who appeared rather dull at comprehension. At length, being slightly irritated he exclaimed in a louder tone, "Why it is a plain as A B C!" "That may be," replied the other, with unexpected alacrity, "but I am D E F."

The President nominated Wm. M. Evarts, Allen G. Thurman and Timothy O. Howe as Commissioners to the International Monetary Conference at Paris and the Senate promptly Confirmed the nominations.

Bowling Green Ghost.

[Bowling Green Special Times-Star.]

There is some excitement in social circles here over the antics of a disembodied spirit at an old log house on a small farm about two miles west of the city. The facts are as follows: An old man had lived for years in the house in seclusion, until about eighteen months ago, when he closed his eyes to open them in another world. His sons took possession, and not long after began to hear strange noises.

The old spinning wheel seemed to have become a thing of perpetual motion; the loom began to work backward and forward as in the days of its youth and glory; and one night an object of whitish appearance bounded on to the bed and thence out of the window, leaving the occupants in a state worse than that of Banquo and Macbeth after their first glimpse of the witches. They left the place to silence and the ghosts for several months, when it was rented by a Mr. Harrison, whose experience was even worse than that of the former occupants.

In addition to what they had been treated to, he heard voices, saw lights, and on one recent occasion a strong light appeared between the house and a large tree that stood a few rods from it. The light shone on a particular spot on the tree, where was stuck a dagger, but on going out to investigate, all disappeared. Your correspondent has the above from gentlemen who intend probing the matter if the manifestations continue.

The country hereabouts is losing many of its old citizens, over 150 having left for West and South in the months just past.

The Best Love.

Home love is the best love. The love that you are born to is the sweetest you will ever have on earth.—You, who are so anxious to escape from the home nest, pause a moment and remember this is so. It is right that the hour should come when you, in your turn, should become a wife and a mother and give the best love to others; but that will be just it.—Nobody—not a lover, nor a husband, will ever be so tender or so true as your mother or your father. Never again, after strangers have broken the beautiful bond, will there be anything so sweet as the little circle of mother, father and children, where you were cherished, protected, praised, and kept from harm. You may not know it now, but you will know it some day. Whomsoever you may marry, and good though he may be, will after the love days are over and the honeymoon has waned, give you only what you deserve of love or sympathy, and usually much less, never more. You must watch and be wary, lest you lose that love that come in through the eye because the one who looked thought you beautiful. But those who bore you, who loved you when you were that dreadful little object, a small baby, and thought you exquisitely beautiful and wonderfully brilliant—they do not care for faces that are fairer and forms that are more graceful than yours. You are their very own, and so better to them always than others.

A Witty Judge.

Readers of Shakespeare have always enjoyed the wit of Portia, in the merchant of Venice, by which she saved Antonio from the knife of Shylock to his pound of flesh, but added, should a drop of blood be shed in taking it, his life would be forfeited. A California judge has shown equal wit. A hard character, well known as a thief, was indicted for entering a miner's tent and stealing a bag of gold dust. The theft was proved. He had been seen to cut a slit in the tent and reach in and take the bag. A bright thought occurred to the counsel for the defense.

"How far did he get when he took the dust?"

"About half way in, as he reached over," said the witness.

"May it please your honor," said the shrewd lawyer. "I shall demand the acquittal of my client. The indictment is not sustained. He did not enter the tent. Can a man enter a house when one-half of his body is in and the other half out?"

The jury and judge were equal to the emergency. The verdict of the jury was: "Guilty as to one-half of his body, and not guilty to the other half." The sentence of the judge was: "imprisonment for the guilty part, of two years. The prisoner may leave the other part behind, or take it with him." The sharp lawyer was outwitted.

A Romantic Marriage.

Lynchburg (Va.) News.

A romantic marriage took place here on Mardi Gras. A young gentleman and a young lady who were acquainted, met on the street and commenced bantering each other about marriage. He offered himself in a jesting way, and the conversation was kept up until they reached the young lady's home. Neither had the slightest idea of getting married at the time, but Cupid was at work shooting arrows, and the discussion was resumed in the parlor. He again offered himself and dared her to marry him that day. She replied, as she caught up her hat, "Let us go." He seized his hat and assented. They visited the County Clerk's office, secured a license and repaired to the residence of a clergyman stating the object of their visit. He asked if it was a runaway match. The young man replied, "Not exactly." The clergyman wished to know if the young lady's parents had agreed to the marriage. The young man said "No, but that he could send for her mother." It was done, and the mother after objecting, was induced to say "Yes." They were married, and are now as happy as any of those who married after long courtships, and more so, perhaps. May they live long and prosper.

Two sisters at Lackawaxen, Pa., were engaged to marry two brothers, and the double wedding was to take place about the holidays. Just before the election one of the girls asked her lover to take her to a Republican meeting, but he, being a Democrat, refused. She appealed to his brother, a Republican, and he accompanied her. The sister who remained at home and the Democratic brother, finding their political sympathies in accord, agreed to break up the previous arrangement and become man and wife. The idea met with favor all around, and the wedding will take place accordingly, each of the four taking a different mate.

Take a Walk.

"Young ladies have the privilege of saying anything they please during leap year, she said, eyeing him out of the corner of her eyes with a sweet look.

His heart gave a great bound and he wondered if she was going to ask him the question which he had so long desired and feared to do, he answered "yes."

"And the young men must not refuse," said she.

"No, no! how could they," sighed the young man.

"Well, then," said she, "will you take a—"

He fell on his knees and said:

"Anything you ask, darling."

Wait till I get through. Will you take a walk, and not hang around our house so much?"

He walked.

There is nothing like presence of mind, after all. The other day, during a tremendous shower, a gentleman entered a fashionable club, bearing a silk umbrella, which he placed in the stand. Instantly another gentleman, who was mourning the abstraction of just such an article, jumped up. "Will you allow me to look at that?" he said, sternly. "Certainly," remarked the umbrella carrier. "I was just taking it to the police station. It was left in my house last night by a burglar whom we frightened off. I hope it will prove a first rate clew." And though the exasperated owner could plainly see where his name had been scratched off the handle, he sat down and changed the subject.

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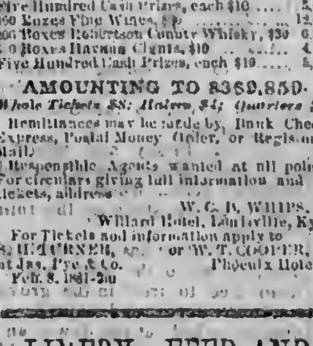

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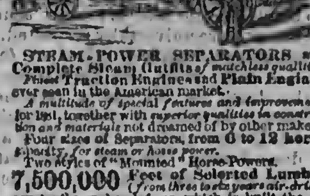

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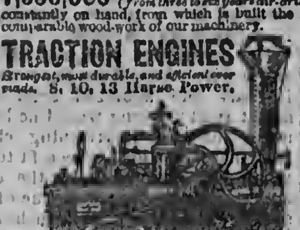

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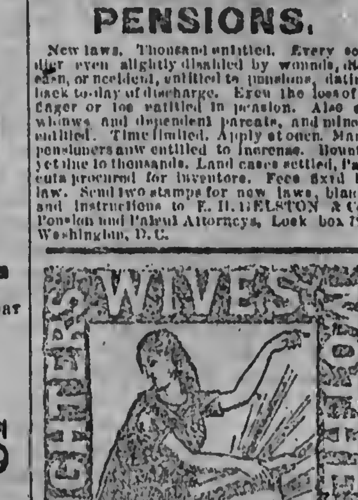

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